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MICROMACHINED DEVICE FOR RECEIVING AND RETAINING AT LEAST ONE LIQUID DROPLET, METHOD OF MAKING THE DEVICE AND METHOD OF USING THE

**DEVICE** 

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## PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents United States Patent and Trademark Office Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

## **In The Claims**

Please add the following new claim:

38. / (New) The device as claimed in claim 3 wherein the device is an organic

electronic device.

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